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Re: Petition to Make Special

Application No.	:	09/556,439
Applicant	:	John Kenneth Amick
Filed	:	04/24/2000
TC/A.U.	:	2124
Title	:	A VIRTUAL VOICE/COMPANY/NETWORK TOOL KIT, METHOD, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT
Examiner	:	Paul H. Kang

Hon. Sir:

Enclosed is my Petition to Make Special in the above referenced action.

It is my understanding that there is no filing fee for this Petition.

If you need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

John Kenneth Amick

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I, John Kenneth Amick, petition that you advance the examination of the above referenced patent pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.102 (c) (1), due to my health. The above referenced Application has been pending for almost eight years. In 1999, I was stricken by prostate cancer. I had a Gleason score of nine on a scale of 1-10. I had surgery and forty days of radiation. The cancer is now recurrent and there are few viable options left.

No assignment has been made of this Application, so no consent of assignees is required.

I declare under the laws of Florida and of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct. I understand that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both (18 U.S.C. 1001) and may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Executed on February 8, 2008, at Coconut Creek, Florida.

  
JOHN KENNETH AMICK